subject to the satisfaction of the following conditions:—

(i) The average per hectare yield of sugar cane should be higher by alteast 20 per cent over the national average cane yield.

(ii) Atleast 40 per cent of the area should be under improved and high-sucrose varieties of cane like COJ—64, COC — 671, etc.

(iii) Adequate cane should continue to be available for existing factories (with potential for further intensive cane development) for meeting both present and future requirements.

The initial capacity to be licensed in such cases will however, continue to be minimum of 2500 TCD.

(c) The incentives which are now available to sugar units with capacity of 2500 TCD, would also be available to the new units of 1750 TCD, but only for the initial 5 years.

3. Government hopes that these relaxations would further facilitate the establishment of new sugar units in the co-operative and public sectors in the industrially backward areas. The relaxation of the spatial distance from 40 to 25 Kms. will also facilitate setting up of new units in certain areas where cane cultivation is both intensive and extensive, and enough cane is available to sustain additional units even with the radial distance of 25 Kms.

4. The existing guidelines for granting licences for setting up new sugar units and for effecting substantial expansion in the existing units for the Seventh Five-Year plan period announced vide this Department's Press Note Dated 2.1.1987 will continue to be in force with the above modifications. The overall guiding principle for licensing new sugar units would be to ensure that adequate cane is available for a new sugar units to be licensed as also for existing factories with potential for further intensive cane development for meeting both present and future requirements.

5. Applications for industrial licence for the establishment of new sugar factories as well as for expansion of existing units should be submitted to the State Government for onward transmission to the Secretatariat for Industrial Approvals in the Department of Industrial Development. The State Governments, while forwarding the applications, should ensure the fulfilment of the various conditions and give clear recommendations and comprehensive details on all the points.

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Development of new varieties of paddy, wheat and other foograins by ICAR

2152. SHRI BASUDEB MOHAPATRY: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Council of Agriculture Research has developed during last three years any new varieties of paddy, wheat and other foodgrains which provide more yield to the farmers; and

(b) if so, the details theeof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HARI KRISHNA SHASTRI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The details of the prominent high yielding varities of paddy, wheat and other food grain crops released during the last three years are given in the following. Statement.

Statement

List of high tielding varieties of paddy, wheat and other food grains released during the last three years (1986—1988)

Crop	Name of prominent varieties
Rice	Banaprabha, Mahendra, Pratibha, Pushkala, Sonasali, Vajram Kshira, Gayatri, Wamshi, Vikramarya, Himalaya-741, Mandhya Vijaya, Heera, Moti, Bhagya, Onam, ACK 5, PR 108, Narendra-80, Pant Dhan 6, Ananga, Lalata, Ashwani, Mandira, Jogen, Sabita, Annada, Kalyani-2, Panidhan, Pusa 205, Jawahar Dhan 75, Hari, Sallvahana, Bhubana, Srabani, Tulsi, Suraksha, Satya, Saleem, HKR 120, Padmini, Kalashree, Narendra Dhan 118, VL Dhan 163, PR 109, IET 7191.
Wheat	Triveni, HI 1077, PBG 175, HD 2428, HS 207, DH 2310, Pant wheat 1109, BW 11, HD 2402, HD 2270, HI 977, PBW 154
Maize	NLD white, Hemant, MCU 508, Arun, VL Makka-41, Navjot, Kiran, Sartaj, Harsha Composite, Prabhat, Gujrat Makai-1, Deccan Hyb Makka-1, Dhawal, Ganga 11, Pusa Composite 1&2, Surya, Renuka, Mansar.
Sorghum	K-4, CSH-10, CSH-11, CSH-12 R, SPH 201, SPV 62, CJ 36, CJ 37, SAR-1, JCSV-13.
Barley . . .	PL 172, BHS 169, Kedar, Karan 16, Karan-4 (Jawahar-4)
Bajra . . .	PSB-15, MH 179, MH 180, MH 182, Sangam, CO 7, MBH 130, HHB 50, Pusa 23, ICMH 423, MP 124.
Ragi.	KBR-1, Inder-9
Small Millets	
Bernyard Millet. . .	Gujarat Nagli-2
Prosomillet . . .	CO 3, VL Madira-29
Mido Millet . . .	PSC-1, Jawahar Kodo 41 M, Jawahar Kodo 12.
Little Millet . . .	PRC 3, Jawahar Kutki-8, Jawahar Kutki-12.
Pigeon pea . . .	Bahar, Pragati, Maruti, Pusa 33, TTB-7, T-7, Pusa 85.
Cowpea . . .	UPC 5287, Birsa Sweta, Pusa Kamal, RC 19, KBC-1, Chhordi, UPC 287, TVX-Cowpea.
Lentil . . .	Malika, LL 147.
Gram . . .	Viswas, Pusa 267, PBG-1, Gora Hissari, BG-256 GNG 149 .
Moongbean . . .	ML 267, Pusa 105, PDM-11, PDM-54.
Urd Bean . . .	Jawahar Urrd-2, Jawahar Urd-3, Pant U 35, PDU-1.
Pea	RPG-3, JP 179, Pant P-5, Malviya Matar-2, Aparna.
Rajmash . . .	Uday, Priya.